

## REVISIONS TO ABSTRACT

The A CATV system (8) according to the invention ~~comprises~~ includes a primary station (2) and a secondary station (4). The CATV system (8) has a frequency band (12) with a plurality of substantially equally spaced and sized frequency channels (10). The CATV system (8) is arranged for transmitting data signals in at least part of the frequency channels (10) from the primary station (2) to the secondary station (4). The secondary station (4) ~~comprises~~ acquires ~~means~~ includes a unit for acquiring a frequency channel (10) in which at least part of the data signals are transmitted. The ~~acquire~~ ~~means~~ acquiring unit ~~is~~ is arranged for scanning the frequency band (12) in frequency steps which are substantially equal to the size of the frequency channels (10) from a starting frequency until a frequency channel (10) carrying data signals is found. In this way it is possible to acquire a frequency channel (10) relatively fast.

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